

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS
(WESTERN DIVISION)**

In re:

NORTHERN BERKSHIRE HEALTHCARE,
INC., *et al.*,

Debtor.

Chapter 11

Case No. 11-31114(HJB)
(Jointly Administered)

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND
REQUEST FOR SERVICE OF NOTICES AND PAPERS**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Jeffrey D. Sternklar of the law firm of Duane Morris LLP, hereby enters his appearance, pursuant to Rules 2002 and 9010 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and MLBR 9010-3, as proposed counsel for the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of Northern Berkshire Healthcare, Inc, and its affiliated debtors and debtors-in-possession.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that such counsel hereby requests, pursuant to, among other provisions, 11 U.S.C. § 1109(b) and MLBR 9010-3(c), that copies of all notices and pleadings filed in these cases be given and served at the address, telephone and facsimile number or electronic mail addresses indicated:

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